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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Wednesday, 21 September 1994

SECURITY COUNCIL

3.15 p.m.	consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultation Room

Subjects

- Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Other matters

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

GENERAL COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	1st meeting	Conference Room 3

Organization of work of the forty-ninth session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items: memorandum by the Secretary-General (A/BUR/49/1 and Add.1).

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE ON COORDINATION

Second regular session of 1994

11.30 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 8
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 8

OTHER MEETINGS

LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

AFRICAN GROUP: WORKING GROUP ON ECONOMIC MATTERS

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
(on the draft ministerial declaration)

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 9

LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN GROUP: OPEN-ENDED WORKING GROUP ON AN AGENDA FOR DEVELOPMENT

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FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Thursday, 22 September 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.	closed meeting	

Friday, 23 September 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

10 a.m. 3rd PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

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Briefing for new delegates to the General Assembly

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SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Monday, 19 September 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

105th plenary meeting

Adoption of the agenda of the forty-eighth regular session of the General Assembly and organization of work: request for the reopening of the consideration of agenda item 12 (Report of the Economic and Social Council): letters from the President of the Economic and Social Council (A/48/990, A/48/991) [8]:

The General Assembly, on the proposal of the President of the Economic and Social Council, decided to reopen consideration of agenda item 12 and to give it immediate consideration.

Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]

(a) Draft decision (A/48/L.65)

The General Assembly adopted draft decision A/48/L.65.

(b) Letter from the President of the Economic and Social Council (A/48/991)

The General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Economic and Social Council, decided to allocate a plenary meeting during the forty-ninth session to commemorate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the United Nations Population Fund.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 12.

Election of twelve members of the World Food Council [16 (b)]

The President recalled that, upon nomination by the Economic and Social Council, the General Assembly had elected ten members of the World Food Council at its 54th plenary meeting on 11 November 1994. The President further informed the Assembly that the Economic and Social Council had postponed the nominations for the two remaining vacancies.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 16.

Armed Israel aggression against the Iraqi nuclear installations and its grave consequences for the established international system concerning the peaceful uses of nuclear energy, the non-proliferation of nuclear weapons and international peace and security [49]

The President recalled that on 24 September 1993, the General Assembly had decided to include item 49 in the agenda of its forty-eighth session and that, by decision 48/436 of 20 December 1993, the Assembly had decided to defer its consideration of this item to a later date during the session and to include it in the provisional agenda of the forty-ninth session.

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 49.

The situation in Afghanistan and its implication for international peace and security [52]

The President recalled that on 24 September 1993, the General Assembly had decided to include item 52 in the agenda of its forty-eighth session.

The Assembly decided to defer its consideration of agenda item 52 and to include it in the draft agenda of the forty-ninth session.

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 52.

United Nations New Agenda for Development of Africa in the 1990s [24]

The President made a statement.

In order to enable the General Assembly to hold during its forty-ninth session the consultations called for in paragraph 17 of its resolution 48/214, the Assembly decided to include item 24 in the draft agenda of the forty-ninth session.

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 24.

Question of Cyprus [54]

The President recalled that on 24 September 1993, the General Assembly had decided to include item 54 in the agenda of its forty-eighth session but had deferred a decision on the allocation of the item to an appropriate time during the session.

The Assembly decided to defer its consideration of agenda item 54 and to include it in the draft agenda of the forty-ninth session.

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 54.

Consequences of the Iraqi occupation of and aggression against Kuwait [55]

The President recalled that on 24 September 1993, the General Assembly had decided to include agenda item 55 in the agenda of its forty-eighth session.

The Assembly decided to defer its consideration of agenda item 55 and to include it in the draft agenda of the forty-ninth session.

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 55.

Restructuring and revitalization of the United Nations in the economic, social and related fields [56]

The President made a statement.

The General Assembly decided to extend the consultation process relating to paragraphs 31 to 34 of annex I to its resolution 48/162 to the forty-ninth session of the General Assembly.

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 56.

Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms: report of the Third Committee (Part VI) (A/48/632/Add.5) [114 (b)]

The Assembly took note of Part VI of the report of the Third Committee on sub-item (b) of agenda item 114 (A/48/632/Add.5).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 114.

Programme budget for the biennium 1990-1991 [163]

The President recalled that on 24 September 1993, the General Assembly had decided to include item 163 in the agenda of its forty-eighth session and to allocate it to the Fifth Committee.

The Assembly decided to defer its consideration of item 163 and to include the item in the draft agenda of the forty-ninth session.

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 163.

Building a peaceful and better world through sport [167]

The President recalled that the Assembly had adopted resolutions 48/10 and 48/11 on this item.

The Assembly decided to include the item in the draft agenda of the forty-ninth session.

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 167.

The situation in Central America: procedures for the establishment of a firm and lasting peace and progress in fashioning a region of peace, freedom, democracy and development [40]

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/985)

(b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.63/Rev.2)

The representative of Mexico made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/48/L.63/Rev.2.

Statements were made by the representatives of Mexico, Colombia, Venezuela, Norway, Spain and the United States.

The President informed the Assembly that in order to allow time for the report of the Fifth Committee on the programme budget implications of draft resolution A/48/L.63/Rev.2 to become available to delegations, action on the draft resolution was postponed to the afternoon as the first item.

Agenda items remaining for consideration at its forty-eighth session

The President recalled that the following agenda items, on which action had been taken by the General Assembly at previous plenary meetings, still remained for consideration during the forty-eighth session of the Assembly:

Item 7	Notification by the Secretary-General under Article 12, paragraph 2, of the Charter of the United Nations
Item 10	Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization
Item 31	The situation of democracy and human rights in Haiti
Item 35	Question of Palestine
Item 36	Law of the sea
Item 42	The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina
Item 47	Commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the United Nations in 1995
Item 114 (c)	Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives
Item 120	Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors

Item 121 Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations

Item 122 Programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993

Item 124 Improving the financial situation of the United Nations

Item 127 Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations

Item 130 Financing of the United Nations peace-keeping forces in the Middle East

Item 131 Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission

Item 132 Financing of the activities arising from Security Council resolution 687 (1991)

Item 133 Financing of the United Nations Mission for the referendum in Western Sahara

Item 134 Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador

Item 135 Financing of the United Nations Transitional Authority in Cambodia

Item 136 Financing of the United Nations Protection Force

Item 137 Financing of the United Nations Operation in Somalia II

Item 138 Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peace-keeping operations

Item 149 Financing of the United Nations Operation in Mozambique

Item 160 Financing of the United Nations Peace-keeping Force in Cyprus

Item 162 Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia

Item 164 Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission Uganda-Rwanda

Item 165 Financing of the United Nations Mission in Haiti

Item 166 Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia

Item 168 Personnel questions

Item 170 The situation in Burundi

Item 173 Financing of the United Nations Assistance Mission for Rwanda

Item 174 Financing of the United Nations Military Liaison Team in Cambodia

The President recalled that these items had been included in the provisional agenda of the forty-ninth session of the Assembly.

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of the aforementioned items.

106th plenary meeting

The situation in Central America: procedures for the establishment of a firm and lasting peace and progress in fashioning a region of peace, freedom, democracy and development [40]:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/985)

(b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.63/Rev.2)

(c) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/992)

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/48/L.63/Rev.2 (resolution 48/267).

The representative of Guatemala made a statement.

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 40.

Programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995: report of the Fifth Committee (Part VI) (A/48/811/Add.5) [123]

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Fifth Committee in paragraph 3 of Part VI of its report (A/48/811/Add.5).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 123.

Closure of the forty-eighth session

The President made a statement.

The General Assembly observed a minute of silent prayer or meditation.

The President then declared closed the forty-eighth session of the General Assembly.

Tuesday, 20 September 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

1st plenary meeting

Opening of the forty-ninth session

The temporary President, His Excellency Mr. Samuel Insanally, Chairman of the delegation of Guyana, declared the forty-ninth session open.

The temporary President made a statement in the course of which he invited the General Assembly to observe the International Day of Peace as proclaimed by the Assembly in its resolution 36/67 of 30 November 1981.

The temporary President then invited the Assembly to observe a minute of silent prayer or meditation.

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (Article 19 of the Charter) (A/49/400) [115]

The General Assembly took note of a letter by the Secretary-General (A/49/400) concerning 14 Member States which were in arrears in the payment of their financial contributions to the United Nations within the terms of Article 19 of the Charter.

Appointment of the members of the Credentials Committee [3]

On the proposal of the temporary President, the General Assembly appointed nine members of the Credentials Committee: China, Fiji, Honduras, Namibia, Portugal, Russian Federation, Suriname, Togo and United States of America.

Election of the President of the General Assembly [4]

The General Assembly proceeded to the election of the President. His Excellency Mr. Amara Essy (Côte d'Ivoire) was elected President of the forty-ninth session of the Assembly by acclamation.

The President made a statement.

Election of the officers of the Main Committees [5]

The Main Committees of the General Assembly held consecutive meetings for the purpose of electing their chairmen.

FIRST COMMITTEE

The representative of Germany made a statement.

His Excellency Mr. Luis Valencia-Rodríguez (Ecuador) was elected Chairman of the First Committee.

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE

The representative of Sri Lanka made a statement.

Mr. Borys Hudyma (Ukraine) was elected Chairman of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee.

SECOND COMMITTEE

The representative of Benin made a statement.

His Excellency Mr. Sher Afgan Khan (Pakistan) was elected Chairman of the Second Committee.

THIRD COMMITTEE

The representative of Slovakia made a statement.

His Excellency Mr. Kéba Birane Cissé (Senegal) was elected Chairman of the Third Committee.

FIFTH COMMITTEE

The representative of Algeria made a statement.

Mr. Adrien Teirlinck (Belgium) was elected Chairman of the Fifth Committee.

SIXTH COMMITTEE

The representative of Uruguay made a statement.

His Excellency Mr. George Lamptey (Ghana) was elected Chairman of the Sixth Committee.

2nd plenary meeting

The President congratulated the Chairmen of the Main Committees on their election.

Election of Vice-Presidents of the General Assembly [6]

The General Assembly, in accordance with paragraphs 2 and 3 of the annex to resolution 33/138, elected by acclamation the following 21 Member States as Vice-Presidents of the General Assembly: Armenia, Austria, Burundi, Cambodia, China, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Dominican Republic, Fiji, France, Guinea-Bissau, India, Kazakhstan, Malawi, Netherlands, Nicaragua, Russian Federation, Sudan, Tunisia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America and Uruguay.

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International Human Rights Instruments

FIFTH MEETING OF CHAIRPERSONS
OF HUMAN RIGHTS TREATY BODIES
United Nations Office at Geneva

TUESDAY, 20 SEPTEMBER 1994

3rd and 4th meetings

Organizational and other matters [4]

The Meeting continued its consideration of the item.

Improving the operation of the human rights treaty bodies [6]

The Meeting began its consideration of the item.

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United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD
Sixth executive session
United Nations Office at Geneva

TUESDAY, 13 SEPTEMBER 1994

844th plenary meeting

Opening of the session

The sixth executive session of the Board was opened by the President, H.E. Mr. Al Sherif Fawaz Al Sharaf (Jordan).

Adoption of the agenda [1]

The Board adopted the agenda, as contained in Section I of document TD/B/EX(6)/1.

Policy review of technical cooperation in UNCTAD [2]

The President recalled that, by decision of the Board at the resumed second part of its fortieth session, the sixth executive session had been convened essentially to permit the Board to continue its review of the report on "Technical cooperation: implementing the Cartagena Commitment" (TD/B/40(2)/14), prepared by the independent consultants, Dame Margaret Anstee and Mr. Leelananda de Silva, at the request of the Secretary-General of UNCTAD.

Mr. Carlos Fortin, Officer-in-charge of UNCTAD, introduced the note by the UNCTAD secretariat (TD/B/EX(6)/CRP.1), containing the views and comments of the secretariat on the implementation of the recommendations contained in the report by the independent consultants.

Statements were made by the representatives of the following States: India, Switzerland, Pakistan, China, Peru, Germany (on behalf of the European Union), Norway, Sweden, Bangladesh, Hungary and Russian Federation.

The Board also heard a statement by the Executive Director of the International Trade Centre UNCTAD/ GATT.

Suspension of the Plenary

The Plenary was suspended in order to permit the Board to continue discussions under item 2 in an informal setting, under the Chairmanship of Mr. I. Kinnas (Greece), Vice-President.

WEDNESDAY, 14 SEPTEMBER 1994

844th (resumed) plenary meeting

Policy review of technical cooperation in UNCTAD [2]

Mr. I. Kinnas (Greece), Vice-President, reported on the informal discussions which he had chaired on this item.

Acting on the recommendation of the informal discussions, the Board decided that an item on policy review of technical cooperation in UNCTAD, in the context of paragraph 68 of the Cartagena Commitment, would be inscribed on the agenda for the first part of its forty-first session, and that the item would be allocated to Sessional Committee II.

Status of the European Community in the Special Committee on Preferences [3]

Having drawn attention to the explanatory memorandum of the presidency of the European Union TD/B/40(2)/22 and the communication from the Chairman of the Group of 77 (TD/B/40(2)/CRP.3), both of which had been circulated to the Board at the second part of its fortieth session, the President reported on the consultations which the Board had mandated him to continue on the states of the European Community in the Special Committee on Preferences.

A statement was made by the representative of Germany (on behalf of the European Union).

The Board took note that further informal consideration of this issue was required and mandated the President of the fortieth session to continue his consultations and to report on the outcome to the next monthly consultations of the Officer-in-charge of UNCTAD.

Draft terms of reference of the Working Party on the Medium-term Plan and the Programme Budget [4]

The President drew attention to the draft terms of reference, circulated TD/B/EX(6)/L.1.

Mr. Carlos Fortin, Officer-in-charge of UNCTAD, read out the text of a communication which have been agreed by the

Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs in New York, and informed the Board that this represented the official view of the United Nations Secretariat on the draft terms of reference of the Working Party.

Statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom, the United States, Japan, France, Hungary, Germany and Australia.

The Officer-in-charge of UNCTAD provided clarification to points raised by delegations.

The Board decided to postpone discussions on the draft terms of reference of the Working Party and requested the Officer-in-charge of UNCTAD to consult on future procedures with a view to placing this item on the agenda of a future session of the Board.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

International Coffee Agreement, 1994, adopted by the International Coffee Council on 30 March 1994

Ratification: India (16 September 1994)*

Signature: Portugal (19 September 1994)*
Dominican Republic (20 September 1994)

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE ON COORDINATION

Second regular session of 1994

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting*	Conference Room 8
3 p.m.	closed meeting*	Conference Room 8

* The Organizational Committee of the Administrative Committee on Coordination will meet immediately following the adjournment of the meeting.

OTHER MEETINGS

GENERAL BRIEFING FOR NEW DELEGATES ON THE WORK OF THE FORTY-NINTH SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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(on Economic and Social Council matters)

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ORGANIZATION OF THE ISLAMIC CONFERENCE: CONTACT GROUP ON BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

The resumed substantive session of 1994 of the ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL, scheduled for Monday and Tuesday, 26 and 27 September 1994, has been postponed to Thursday and Friday, 3 and 4 November 1994, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

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United Nations Development Programme

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GENERAL COMMITTEE 1st and 2nd meetings

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WEDNESDAY, 21 SEPTEMBER 1994

5th meeting

Organizational and other matters [4]

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Improving the operation of the human rights treaty bodies [6]

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6th meeting

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The High Commissioner for Human Rights, made a statement.

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Meeting

Thursday, 22 September 1994

STAFF COUNCIL

1.15 p.m. 2.45 p.m.	(open to staff members only)	Conference Room 5

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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Friday, 23 September 1994

SECURITY COUNCIL

11 a.m.	consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultation Room

Subjects

- Angola (S/1994/1069)
- Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Other matters

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

GENERAL COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	3rd meeting	Conference Room 4

Organization of work of the forty-ninth session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items: memorandum by the Secretary-General (A/BUR/49/1 and Add.1).

11 a.m.	3rd PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall

Organization of work of the forty-ninth session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items: first and second reports of the General Committee (A/49/250 and A/49/250/Add.1*).

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* To be issued.

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	2nd meeting	Conference Room 3

1. Election of the Vice-Chairmen and Rapporteur
2. Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments [17]
   (a) Appointment of members to the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/49/101/Add.1)
3. Organization of work (A/C.5/49/L.1)

SIXTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	2nd meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

Election of the Vice-Chairmen and Rapporteur

Organization of work

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
Afternoon*	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

* Following the adjournment of the 2nd meeting of the Fifth Committee.

COMMITTEE ON THE EXERCISE OF THE INALIENABLE RIGHTS OF THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	208th meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE ON COORDINATION

ORGANIZATIONAL COMMITTEE

11.30 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

OTHER MEETINGS

GENERAL BRIEFING FOR NEW DELEGATES ON THE WORK OF THE FORTY-NINTH SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 1
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 1

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

10.30 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

ORGANIZATION OF THE ISLAMIC CONFERENCE: CONTACT GROUP ON BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA

10.30 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 8

GROUP OF CENTRAL AMERICAN STATES

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room A

MEETING OF THE GROUP OF 15

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Monday, 26 September 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

10 a.m. — 4th PLENARY MEETING — General Assembly Hall

1. Opening of the general debate:

   Brazil

2. Address by His Excellency Mr. William J. Clinton, President of the United States of America.

3. Address by His Excellency Mr. Carlos Salinas de Gortari, President of the United Mexican States.

4. Address by His Excellency Mr. Henri Konan Bedié, President of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire.

5. Continuation of the general debate:

   Finland

   Algeria

3 p.m. — 5th PLENARY MEETING — General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Mr. Boris N. Yeltsin, President of the Russian Federation.

2. Address by His Excellency Dr. Ernesto Samper Pizano, President of the Republic of Colombia.

3. Address by Her Excellency Mrs. Violeta Barrios de Chamorro, President of the Republic of Nicaragua.

4. Address by His Excellency Dr. Armando Calderón Sol, President of the Republic of El Salvador.

5. Address by His Excellency Mr. Ion Iliescu, President of Romania.

6. Continuation of the general debate:

   Norway

   Sri Lanka

   Papua New Guinea

   Sudan

   Islamic Republic of Iran

   Angola

Committees

SIXTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	3rd meeting	Conference Room 1

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.	closed meeting	

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OTHER MEETINGS

Eighteenth Annual Ministerial Meeting of the Group of 77

The Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Member States of the Group of 77 will hold their Eighteenth Annual Meeting at United Nations Headquarters on Friday, 30 September 1994, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber,

The Eighteenth Annual Ministerial Meeting will be preceded by the Sixth Annual Meeting of Senior Officials of the Group of 77, to be held on Wednesday, 28 September 1994, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

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Announcement

An unofficial information version of the International Conference on Population and Development Programme of Action, as adopted by the Conference in Cairo on Tuesday, 13 September 1994, is now available in English only from the International Conference on Population and Development Secretariat (Room DN-2205, 220 East 42nd Street (Daily News Building)).

The official version of the Programme of Action in all United Nations languages is expected to be available in October.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Wednesday, 21 September 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

GENERAL COMMITTEE 1st meeting

Organization of the forty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items: memorandum by the Secretary-General (A/BUR/49/1 and Add.1)

Section I

The General Committee decided to draw the Assembly's attention to the provisions reproduced in annexes V, VI, VII and VIII of its rules of procedure.

The General Committee took note of paragraph 4 in the memorandum of the Secretary-General.

Organization of the session (Section II)

Section II.A

The General Committee took note of rule 40 of the rules of procedure, General Assembly decision 34/401, General Assembly resolution 39/88 B and the annex to resolution 45/45.

Section II.B

The General Committee took note of paragraphs 6 and 7 in the memorandum of the Secretary-General (A/BUR/49/1 and Add.1).

In connection with paragraph 8, the General Committee drew the attention of the General Assembly to paragraph 5 of the annex to General Assembly resolution 45/45.

The General Committee took note of paragraph 9 in the memorandum of the Secretary-General.

Section II.C

The General Committee decided to recommend to the General Assembly that the forty-ninth session should recess no later than Tuesday, 20 December 1994 and close on Monday, 18 September 1995.

The General Committee decided to recommend to the General Assembly that all the Main Committees should start their work as soon as possible, and make every effort to complete their work by Friday, 2 December 1994.

Section II.D

The General Committee decided to recommend to the General Assembly that all plenary meetings as well as meetings of Main Committees should begin at 10 a.m. promptly and adjourn by 6 p.m.

The General Committee decided to recommend that, in order to avoid the late start of meetings, the General Assembly should waive the requirement of the presence of at least one third of the Members to declare a plenary meeting open and permit the debate to proceed, and of at least one quarter of the Members to declare a meeting of a Main Committee open and permit the debate to proceed.

The General Committee agreed to recommend to the General Assembly that delegations should designate someone to be present at the meetings at the scheduled time.

Section II.E

The General Committee endorsed the suggestions contained in paragraphs 14 and 15 concerning the duration of the general debate (beginning Monday, 26 September and ending Wednesday, 12 October) and the closure of the list of speakers (to close Wednesday, 28 September at 6 p.m.). The President urged that representatives take the floor in the order in which they appeared on the list of speakers, otherwise, they would be put at the end of the list for that day.

The General Committee decided to draw the Assembly's attention to paragraph 16 and to Assembly's decisions taken at previous sessions, that the practice of expressing congratulations inside the General Assembly Hall after a speech has been delivered was prohibited. It decided to recommend to the Assembly that the provision should also apply to the forty-ninth session. It further recommended that speakers in the general debate exit the Assembly Hall through Room GA-200 located behind the podium.

Section II.F

The General Committee decided to draw the Assembly's attention to paragraphs 6, 7 and 8 of its decision 34/401, concerning explanations of vote and rights of reply.

The General Committee decided to recommend to the General Assembly that points of order be limited to five minutes.

The General Committee decided to draw the attention of the General Assembly, as it did at recent sessions, to rules 72 and 114 of the rules of procedure and paragraph 22 of

annex VI thereto for appropriate action in plenary meetings and the Main Committees.

Section II.G

The General Committee took note that verbatim records would be provided during the forty-ninth session for the plenary meetings of the Assembly and meetings of the First Committee and that summary records would be provided for the meetings of the General Committee and Main Committees of the Assembly.

The General Committee also decided to recommend to the General Assembly that its decision not to reproduce *in extenso* statements made in a Main Committee should be maintained for the forty-ninth session.

Section II.H

The General Committee was informed of the seating arrangements to be observed during the session.

Section II.I

The General Committee decided to draw the Assembly's attention to the need for full implementation of paragraph 17 of General Assembly decision 34/401 concerning concluding statements.

Section II.J

The General Committee decided to draw the Assembly's attention to paragraph 32 of its decision 34/401 and to recommendation 3 (f) of the Group of High-level Intergovernmental Experts and to paragraph 5 of its resolution 48/264 and further to paragraphs 1 and 10 of the annex to its resolution 45/45.

Section II.K

The General Committee decided to draw the Assembly's attention to paragraph 28 of its decision 34/401 relating to reports of the Secretary-General or subsidiary organs.

The General Committee decided to draw the General Assembly's attention to paragraph 6 of its resolution 48/264.

The General Committee took note of paragraph 29 concerning control of documentation.

Section II.L

The General Committee decided to draw the General Assembly's attention to paragraph 12 of its decision 34/401 and also to paragraph 6 of its resolution 35/10 A and to article 4.9 of the Regulations governing Programme Planning, the Programme Aspects of the Budget, the Monitoring of Implementation and the Methods of Evaluation contained in the annex to Assembly resolution 37/234.

The General Committee decided further to draw the Assembly's attention to paragraphs 32 and 33 of the Secretary-General's memorandum concerning the submission of proposals involving statements of programme-budget implications.

Section II.M

The General Committee decided to endorse the suggestions contained in paragraphs 34 and 35.

Section II.N

The General Committee decided to draw the General Assembly's attention to the recommendations referred to in paragraphs 36 and 37 of the memorandum of the Secretary-General.

Section II.O

The General Committee decided to recommend to the General Assembly that it should authorize the meetings of the subsidiary organs referred to in paragraph 38 of document A/49/BUR/1 and Add.1.

Observations and proposals on the organization of future sessions (Section III)

The General Committee took note of paragraphs 39 and 40 and endorsed the suggestions contained in paragraph 41.

Adoption of the agenda (Section IV)

The General Committee decided to recommend to the General Assembly that it should direct its Main Committees to review their agenda with a view to streamlining their programme of work, as suggested in paragraph 43.

The General Committee took note of paragraph 43 dealing with the rationalization of the agenda, including paragraphs 4 and 5 (a) and (c) of annex I to resolution 48/264.

The General Committee agreed to the new wording of item 115 (Personnel questions) suggested by the Secretary-General.

Items 1 to 6

The General Committee took note that the General Assembly had already dealt with items 1 to 6 of the draft agenda.

Items 7 to 25

The General Committee decided to recommend that the General Assembly should include these items in the agenda.

Item 26

The representative of the Russian Federation made a statement.

The representative of Latvia (on behalf of Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania) made a statement in accordance with rule 43 of the rules of procedures.

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Items 27 to 35

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include these items in the agenda.

Item 36

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 37 to 44

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include these items in the agenda.

Item 45

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Item 46

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Item 47

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Item 48

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Item 49

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Item 50

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Item 51

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 52

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Items 53 to 64

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include these items in the agenda.

Items 65

The representative of Tunisia (on behalf of the Arab Group) made a statement.

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Items 66 to 73

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include these items in the agenda.

Items 74 to 84

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include these items in the agenda.

Item 85

Statements were made by the representatives of Tunisia and Belgium.

The General Committee decided to recommend to the General Assembly that consideration of this item be deferred to the fiftieth session of the General Assembly and that it be included in the provisional agenda of that session.

Item 86

Statements were made by the representatives of France and Tunisia.

The General Committee decided to recommend to the Assembly that consideration of this item be deferred to the fiftieth session of the Assembly and that it be included in the provisional agenda of that session.

Item 87

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 88

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 89

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 90

Statements were made by the representatives of Pakistan and France (on behalf of the European Union).

The General Committee recommended to the Assembly that sub-item (c) of item 90 become a separate agenda item.

The General Committee decided to recommend that the General Assembly should include item 90 and the new item (formerly 90 (c), which would be renumbered accordingly) in the agenda of the forty-ninth session.

Items 91 to 94

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include these items in the agenda.

Items 95 to 101

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include these items in the agenda.

Item 102

Statements were made by the representatives of the Sudan, Austria, the Russian Federation and Malawi.

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 103

The representative of Uruguay made a statement (on behalf of the Latin American and Caribbean Group).

The representative of Germany (on behalf of the European Union) made a statement in accordance with rule 43 of the rules of procedure.

The General Committee decided to amend the wording of item 103 to read "Promotion and protection of the rights of children" and decided to recommend to the General Assembly that the item (as orally amended) should be included in the agenda.

Items 104 and 105

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include these items in the agenda.

Item 106 to 109

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include these items in the agenda.

Item 110

The representative of Belgium made a statement.

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 111 to 134

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include these items in the agenda.

Items 135 to 148

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include these items in the agenda.

Item 149

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 150

Statements were made by the representatives of Croatia, France, the United Kingdom, the Netherlands, Nicaragua, Austria, Tunisia, the Russian Federation and the Sudan.

The General Committee decided to recommend that the Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 151

The General Committee decided to recommend that the General Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 152

Statements were made by the representatives of the Russian Federation and China.

The General Committee decided to recommend that the General Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 153

Statements were made by the representatives of Cambodia, China, the Dominican Republic, Ghana, India, Kazakhstan, Nicaragua, Pakistan, the Russian Federation, the Sudan, Tunisia and Ukraine.

Statements were made by the representatives of Burkina Faso, Grenada, the Niger and Solomon Islands in accordance with rule 43 of the rules of procedure.

The General Committee decided to invite the representatives of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya and the Syrian Arab Republic, at their request, to take a place at the Committee's table.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya and the Syrian Arab Republic.

The General Committee decided to recommend that the General Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

2nd meeting

Adoption of the agenda (Section IV)

Item 153 (continued)

Statements were made by the representatives of the Burundi, Fiji, Guinea-Bissau, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea and Uruguay.

The General Committee decided to invite the representatives of Benin, Cuba, Kuwait and Nepal, at their request, to take a place at the Committee's table.

Statements were made by the representatives of Benin, Cuba, Kuwait and Nepal.

The General Committee decided not to recommend the item for inclusion in the agenda of the forty-ninth session.

Item 154

Statements were made by the representatives of Ecuador and Fiji.

The representative of Australia made a statement in accordance with rule 43 of the rules of procedure.

Statements were made by the representatives of Ecuador and Fiji.

The General Committee decided to recommend that the General Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 155

Statements were made by the representatives of Austria, Burundi, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Fiji, Guinea-Bissau, Malawi, the Netherlands, the Russian Federation, the Sudan, Tunisia, Ukraine and the United States.

Statements were made by the representatives of Australia, Burkina Faso, Canada, Malaysia and Sweden in accordance with rule 43 of the rules of procedure.

The General Committee decided to invite the representative of Benin, at his request, to take a place at the Committee's table.

The representative of Benin made a statement.

The General Committee decided to recommend that the General Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 156

The representative of Tunisia made a statement.

The General Committee decided to recommend that the General Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 157

The General Committee decided to recommend that the General Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 158

The General Committee decided to recommend that the General Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 159

The General Committee decided to recommend that the General Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Item 160

Statements were made by the representatives of France, India, the Netherlands, the Russian Federation, Tunisia and the United States.

The General Committee decided to recommend that the General Assembly should include this item in the agenda.

Allocation of items (Section V)

The General Committee decided to draw the General Assembly's attention to paragraph 4 of its decision 34/401.

The General Committee decided to draw the General Assembly's attention to paragraph 5 of the annex to Assembly resolution 39/88 B and to paragraph 6 of the annex to Assembly resolution 45/45.

The General Committee decided to draw the General Assembly's attention to paragraphs 2 and 5 (b) and (d) of annex I to Assembly resolution 48/264.

Item 150

The General Committee decided to recommend that item 150 should be allocated to the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee).

Item 151

The General Committee decided to recommend that item 151 should be considered directly in plenary meeting.

Item 152

The General Committee decided to recommend that item 152 should be considered directly in plenary meeting.

Item 154

The General Committee decided to recommend that item 154 should be considered directly in plenary meeting.

Item 155

Statements were made by the representatives of France, India, the Netherlands, the Russian Federation, the Sudan, the United Kingdom and the United States.

Statements were made by the representatives of Australia and Finland in accordance with rule 43 of the rules of procedure.

The General Committee decided to invite the representative of Benin to take a place at the Committee's table.

The representative of Benin made a statement.

Item 160

The General Committee decided to recommend that item 160 should be allocated to the Sixth Committee.

Report of the Economic and Social Council

The General Committee decided to recommend to the General Assembly the suggested allocation of various parts of the report of the Economic and Social Council, as contained in paragraph 48.

The General Committee decided to recommend that the commemoration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the operations of the United Nations Population Fund be held on Thursday, 20 October 1994.

Decolonization

The General Committee decided to recommend that the chapters of the report of the Special Committee relating to specific Territories should be referred to the Special Political and Decolonization Committee, thus enabling the Assembly to deal in plenary meeting with the question of implementation of the Declaration as a whole.

Question of the Falkland Islands (Malvinas)

The General Committee decided to recommend that item 45 should be considered directly in plenary meeting, on the understanding that bodies and individuals having an interest in the question would be permitted to be heard in the Speciall Political and Decolonization Committee.

Cyprus - allocation of item is deferred

The General Committee decided to recommend that item 51 be allocated at an appropriate time during the session.

Disarmament/IAEA report

The General Committee decided to recommend that item 63 should be drawn to the attention of the First Committee.

Agenda for Development

The representative of India made a statement.

The General Committee decided to defer consideration of the allocation of the item as a whole to a later date.

Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family

The General Committee decided to recommend that the two plenary meetings devoted to the implementation of the follow-up to the International Year of the Family should be held on Tuesday, 18 October 1994.

Report of the International Conference on Population and Development

The General Committee decided to recommend that the debate on the item should be held directly in plenary meeting, on the understanding that action on the item would be taken by the Second Committee.

Plenary items

The General Committee decided to recommend the proposed allocation of items, including the commemoration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the operations of the United Nations Population Fund, the special plenary meetings on agenda for development, the two plenary meetings of the follow-up to the International Year of the Family, the debate on the report of the International Conference on Population and Development, and including also items 151, 152, 154, 157 and 159 and excluding item 51.

First Committee items

The General Committee decided to recommend the proposed allocation of items, including item 156, to be considered by the First Committee.

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) items

The General Committee decided to recommend the allocation of items, taking into account its decision on the item "Question of the Malagasy islands of Glorieuses, Juan de Nova, Europa and Bassas da India" and its decision on the item entitled "Question of East Timor" and including item 150.

Second Committee items

The General Committee decided to recommend the proposed allocation of items, including the new item (Report of

the International Conference on Population and Development) and excluding item 94, to be considered by the Second Committee.

Third Committee items

The representative of Fiji made a statement.

The General Committee decided to recommend the proposed allocation of items, to be considered by the Third Committee.

Fifth Committee items

The General Committee decided to recommend the proposed allocation of items, including item 158, to be considered by the Fifth Committee.

Sixth Committee items

The General Committee decided to recommend the proposed allocation of items, including item 160, to be considered by the Sixth Committee.

Thursday, 22 September 1994

SECURITY COUNCIL

3427th meeting

The situation in Tajikistan and along the Tajik-Afghan border

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President made a statement on behalf of the Council (S/PRST/1994/56).

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

International Coffee Agreement, 1994, adopted by the International Coffee Council on 30 March 1994

Provisional application: Spain (19 September 1994)*

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* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

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   Brazil

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5. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

   Finland

   Algeria

3 p.m. 5th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Mr. Boris N. Yeltsin, President of the Russian Federation.

2. Address by His Excellency Dr. Ernesto Samper Pizano, President of the Republic of Colombia.

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Norway

Sri Lanka

Papua New Guinea

Sudan

Islamic Republic of Iran

Angola

Committees

SIXTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	3rd meeting	Conference Room 1

Election of the Vice-Chairmen and Rapporteur

Organization of work (A/C.6/49/1; A/C.6/49/L.1)

Report of the United Nations Commissions on Inter-national Trade Law on the work of its twenty-seventh session [138] (A/49/17, A/49/427)

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

OTHER MEETINGS

MEETING OF THE GROUP OF 15

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Tuesday, 27 September 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

10 a.m. — 6th PLENARY MEETING — General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Dr. Carlos Roberto Reina Idiaquez, Constitutional President of the Republic of Honduras.

2. Address by His Excellency Dr. Luis Alberto Lacalle de Herrera, President of the Eastern Republic of Uruguay.

3. Address by His Excellency Dr. Carlos Saúl Menem, President of the Argentine Republic.

4. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

   Germany

   Netherlands

   Poland

   Belgium

3 p.m. — 7th PLENARY MEETING — General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Mr. Guntis Ulmanis, President of the Republic of Latvia.

2. Address by His Excellency Mr. Alija Izetbegovic, President of the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

3. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

   Japan

   Denmark

   Senegal

   New Zealand

   Mauritania

   Lebanon

   Chile

   Congo

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

10 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 3

SIXTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations on jurisdictional immunities of States and their property

10 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Rooom 1
3 p.m.	closed meeting	

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
8 p.m.	closed meeting	

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United Nations Development Programme

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United Nations Children's Fund

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OTHER MEETINGS

Eighteenth Annual Ministerial Meeting of the Group of 77

The Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the Member States of the Group of 77 will hold their Eighteenth Annual Meeting at United Nations Headquarters on Friday, 30 September 1994, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in the Trusteeship Council Chamber,

The Eighteenth Annual Ministerial Meeting will be preceded by the Sixth Annual Meeting of Senior Officials of the Group of 77, to be held on Wednesday, 28 September 1994, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

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The Ministerial Meeting of the NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT will be held on Wednesday, 4 October 1994, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room 2.

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Prepared texts for distribution
in the meeting room and to the press

In order to allow distribution of prepared texts of speeches made in the plenary meetings and in the Main Committees of the General Assembly to delegations, specialized agencies, observers, interpreters, record-writers and press officers, 300 copies are required. Those copies should be given in advance of delivery of the speech to the Conference officer, in order to help the Secretariat to provide the best possible service. For distribution in the General Assembly Hall, texts should be delivered to the documents counter on the left side of the hall.

In order to facilitate press coverage of statements made in plenary meetings and in the Main Committees of the General Assembly, an additional 150 copies are required for distribution to accredited correspondents in the press area. Those copies should be delivered in advance of the speech to the Press Documents Counter, Room S-390. As soon as received, the availability of the texts will be announced through the press paging system by the Correspondents Liaison Unit, Department of Public Information.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Friday, 23 September 1994

SECURITY COUNCIL

3428th meeting

The situation in the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Afghanistan, Albania, Bangladesh, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Canada, Croatia, Egypt, Germany, Indonesia, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Jordan, Malaysia, Senegal, Tunisia and Turkey, at their request, to participate in the discussion of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited Ambassador Dragomir Djokic, at his request, to address the Council in the course of the discussion of the item before it.

The President drew attention to the text of the three draft resolutions contained in documents S/1994/1083, which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations; S/1994/1084, which had been submitted by Argentina, the Czech Republic, Djibouti, France, Germany, Nigeria, Oman, Pakistan, the Russian Federation, Rwanda, Spain, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America; and S/1994/1085, which had been submitted by the Czech Republic, France, Germany, the Russian Federation, Spain, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

The Council then began its consideration of the item and heard statements by the representatives of Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Malaysia, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Senegal, Albania, Germany, Egypt and Turkey.

The Council heard a statement by Ambassador Djokic.

Statements were made by the representatives of Canada, Jordan, Afghanistan, Bangladesh and Tunisia.

The Council then proceeded to the vote on the three draft resolutions (S/1994/1083, S/1994/1084 and S/1994/1085) before it.

Before the vote, statements were made by the representatives of Djibouti, China, the Czech Republic, Pakistan, Rwanda and France.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/1994/1083) received 15 votes in favour and was adopted unanimously as resolution 941 (1994).

Decision: The draft resolution (S/1994/1084) received 14 votes in favour, none against, with one abstention (China), and was adopted as resolution 942 (1994).

Decision: The draft resolution (S/1994/1085) received 11 votes in favour, two against (Djibouti and Pakistan) with two abstentions (Nigeria and Rwanda), and was adopted as resolution 943 (1994).

Following the vote, statements were made by the representatives of Argentina, the Russian Federation, Brazil, the United Kingdom, the United States, Nigeria, New Zealand and Oman, and by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of Spain.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

3rd plenary meeting

Organization of work of the forty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items: first report of the General Committee (A/49/250)

The General Assembly considered the first report of the General Committee circulated in document A/49/250.

Introduction (Section I)

Organization of the session (Section II)

Observations and proposals on the organization of future sessions (Section III)

The General Assembly took note of the provisions and approved the recommendations contained in Sections I, II and III of the report of the General Committee.

Adoption of the agenda (Section IV)

The President of the General Assembly recalled rule 23 of the rules of procedure.

The General Assembly approved the recommendation contained in paragraph 36, that it would direct its Main Committees to review their agenda with a view to streamlining their programme of work.

The General Assembly approved the recommendation, contained in paragraph 37, that the consideration of item 85 be deferred to the fiftieth session and that the item be included in the provisional agenda of that session.

The General Assembly approved the recommendation, contained in paragraph 38, that the consideration of item 86 be deferred to the fiftieth session and that the item be included in the provisional agenda of the session.

The General Assembly approved the recommendation, contained in paragraph 39, that sub-item (c) of item 90 should become a separate item.

In paragraph 40, the General Assembly was informed that the General Committee had decided to amend the wording of item 103 to read as follows: "Promotion and protection of the rights of the children".

In paragraph 41, the General Assembly was informed that the General Committee had decided to change the wording of item 115 to read as follows:

"Human resources management:

(a) Strategy for the management of the human resources of the Organization;

(b) Composition of the Secretariat;

(c) Respect for the privileges and immunities of officials of the United Nations and the specialized agencies and related organizations;

(d) Other human resources questions."

In paragraph 42, the General Assembly was informed that the General Committee had decided not to recommend the inclusion of item 153.

Inclusion of items

Items 1 to 6

The General Assembly took note of the fact that items 1 to 6 had already been acted upon in plenary meeting and their inclusion approved.

Items 7 to 147

The General Assembly approved the inclusion of these items in the agenda.

Item 148

The representative of Greece made a statement.

The General Assembly approved the inclusion of the item in the agenda.

Item 149 to 158

The General Assembly approved the inclusion of these items in the agenda.

Allocations of items (Section V)

The General Assembly took note of the provisions contained in paragraph 44.

Plenary meeting

In regard to item 12, the General Assembly decided to adopt the recommendation contained in paragraph 45 (a) (i).

In regard to item 18, the General Assembly decided to adopt the recommendation contained in paragraph 45 (a) (ii).

In regard to item 45, the General Assembly approved the recommendation contained in paragraph 45 (a) (iii).

In regard to item 51, the General Assembly approved the recommendation contained in paragraph 45 (a) (iv).

In regard to item 149, the General Assembly decided to adopt the recommendation contained in paragraph 45 (a) (v).

In regard to item 150, the General Assembly decided to adopt the recommendation contained in paragraph 45 (a) (vi).

In regard to item 151, the General Assembly decided to adopt the recommendation contained in paragraph 45 (a) (vii).

In paragraph 45 (a) (viii), the General Assembly was informed that the General Committee had decided to defer its recommendation on the allocation of item 152 to a later date.

The General Assembly approved the allocation of the items listed in paragraph 46 for consideration directly in plenary meeting.

First Committee

In regard to item 62, the General Assembly approved the allocation contained in paragraph 45 (b).

The General Assembly approved the allocation of the items proposed for the First committee in paragraph 46.

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

In regard to item 148, the General Assembly approved the recommendation contained in paragraph 45 (c).

The General Assembly approved the allocation of the items proposed for the Fourth Committee in paragraph 46.

Second Committee

In paragraph 45 (d) (i), the General Assembly was informed that the General Committee had decided to defer consideration of the allocation of item 92 as a whole to a later date.

In regard to item 158, the General Assembly decided to adopt the recommendation that the debate on the item should be held directly in plenary meeting, on the understanding that action on the item would be taken in the Second Committee.

The General Assembly approved the allocation of items proposed for the Second Committee in paragraph 46.

Third Committee

In regard to item 95, the General Assembly approved the recommendation contained in paragraph 45 (e).

The General Assembly approved the allocation of items proposed for the Third Committee in paragraph 46.

Fifth Committee

The General Assembly approved the allocation of items proposed for the Fifth Committee in paragraph 46.

Sixth Committee

In regard to item 157, the General Assembly approved the recommendation contained in paragraph 45 (f).

The General Assembly approved the allocation of items proposed for the Sixth Committee in paragraph 46.

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (Article 19 of the Charter) [112]

The General Assembly took note that Mali had made the necessary payment to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter.

Programme of work

The President informed the General Assembly that the list of speakers for the plenary meetings devoted to the implementation of the follow-up to the International Year of the Family to be held on Tuesday, 18 October, was open for inscriptions.

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Corrigendum to the summary of the 1st meeting of the GENERAL COMMITTEE (see *Journal* No. 1994/184, pp. 8 and 9): under *Item 153*, the last paragraph should be deleted.

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE — 2nd meeting

Election of the Vice-Chairmen

The Committee elected, by acclamation, Mr. Mahmoud Barimani (Islamic Republic of Iran) and Miss Marta Peña (Mexico) as Vice-Chairmen.

Election of the Rapporteur

The Committee elected, by acclamation, Mr. Larbi Djacta (Algeria) as Rapporteur.

The representative of Algeria made a statement pursuant to the provisions of rule 110 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly.

Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments [17]

(a) *Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*

The Committee decided, by acclamation, to recommend to the General Assembly the appointment of Mr. Yuji Kumamaru (Japan) to the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions for a term of office beginning on the date of the approval of this appointment by the General Assembly and ending on 31 December 1995.

The Committee thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 17 (a).

Organization of work

The Committee began its consideration of the question and heard a statement by the Chairman.

Statements concerning the Committee's tentative programme of work were made by the representatives of France, Cameroon, Australia, the United States, Cuba, Zambia, Portugal, Mexico, Ireland, Brazil, Latvia and Germany.

The Chairman of the Committee, the Chairman of the Advisory Committee, the Controller and the Secretary of the Committee made statements in response to questions raised during the discussion.

SIXTH COMMITTEE — 2nd meeting

The Chairman made a statement.

Organization of work

The Sixth Committee agreed to begin its substantive work with the consideration of item 138 (Report of the United

Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its twenty-seventh session).

It also agreed on a time-table for the week 26 - 30 September 1994.

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COMMITTEE ON THE EXERCISE
OF THE INALIENABLE RIGHTS
OF THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE — 208th meeting

Report by the Chairman on the combined International NGO Meeting and the European NGO Symposium on the Question of Palestine

The Chairman made a statement.

Review of recent development relating to the question of Palestine and consultations regarding the forty ninth session of the General Assembly

The Chairman made a statement and the Permanent Observer of Palestine made a statement.

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International Human Rights Instruments

FIFTH MEETING OF CHAIRPERSONS
OF HUMAN RIGHTS TREATY BODIES
United Nations Office at Geneva

FRIDAY, 23 SEPTEMBER 1994

7th meeting

Adoption of the report [7]

The Meeting adopted its report to the forty ninth session of the General Assembly.

The Chairpersons also had an exchange of views with Ms. Thérèse Gastaut, Director, Information Service.

The Fifth Meeting of Chairpersons was then declared closed.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods, concluded at Vienna on 11 April 1980

Accession: New Zealand (22 September 1994)*

International Coffee Agreement, 1994, adopted by the International Coffee Council on 30 March 1994

Signature: Indonesia (23 September 1994)*
Ireland (23 September 1994)*
Paraguay (23 September 1994)*
Togo (23 September 1994)*
Trinidad and Tobago (23 September 1994)*

Provisional application: Paraguay (23 September 1994)*

Ratification: United Kingdom (23 September 1994)*

OPENING FOR SIGNATURE **

Agreement to establish the South Centre opened for signature at Geneva on 1 September 1994

It is recalled that the Agreement is open for signature from 1 September until 27 September 1994 at the South Centre in Geneva, Switzerland. The Agreement will be opened for signature at the United Nations Headquarters in New York from 30 September until 15 December 1994. The opening ceremony at the United Nations Headquarters in New York will take place on 30 September 1994 in the Trusteeship Council Chamber from 10 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. and from 2.30 p.m. to 3.30 p.m.

It is advisable that delegations intending to sign the Agreement at that time submit the appropriate full powers in advance to the Treaty Section of the Office of Legal Affairs (room S-3200, tel. 963-5047).

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* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

** See also the note concerning the Eighteenth Annual Ministerial Meeting of the Group of 77 on page 4 of this issue of the journal.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *September* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Gabon
H.E. Mr. Denis Danque Rewaka

Asian States:
Republic of Korea
H.E. Mr. Chong-Ha Yoo

Eastern European States:
Croatia
H.E. Mr. Mario Nobilo

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Panama
H.E. Mr. Eduardo A. Heart
Chargé d'affaires

Western European and Other States:
Belgium
H.E. Mr. Paul Noterdaeme

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Security

The Pass and Identification Office (Room GA-100), which is located inside the Delegates' Entrance, will be open from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. *today*, 24 September and tomorrow, 25 September, to process passes for the accredited members of delegations and the staff of permanent missions to the United Nations.

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Workshop

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library, Department of Public Information, will conduct a workshop on the utilization of information resources in the English language from 27 to 29 September 1994 for delegates and staff of Permanent Missions to the United Nations. The workshop will be repeated in the French language from 11 to 13 October 1994 and again in the English and French languages in February 1995.

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